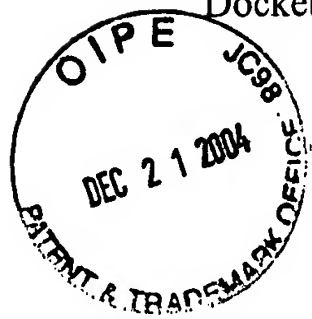


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Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed October 15, 2004, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire January 15, 2004. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.